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ISN'T HE CUTE?

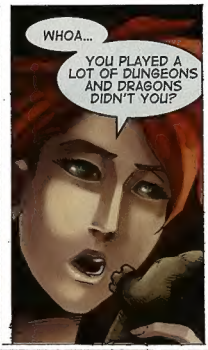
HMM? I SUPPOSE.
I GOT HIM FOR YOU, SRDGAN. AT A LITTLE SOUVENIR STAND IN PRAGUE WHILE ON BREAK. I WAS SO WORRIED HE'D GET CRUSHED IN MY BACKPACK.

LOOK, HE EVEN HAS CUTE LITTLE GINGERBREAD MAN ANKLE BRACELETS.

GEE, THANKS KIZZY. JUST WHAT I ALWAYS WANTED.
WHERE'D YOU GO ON BREAK AGAIN, MR. PARTY ANIMAL? OH, THAT'S RIGHT...

...FOURTH FLOOR, NORTH WING -- RELIGIOUS AND OCCULT STUDIES. HOW EXCITING.
CATCH UP ON YOUR TAN? MEET ANY HOTTIES?

IT'S A GOLEM.
A WHAT?
A GOLEM. A KABALISTIC SUPERNATURAL BEING MADE OF CLAY, BROUGHT TO LIFE BY A RABBI TO SERVE AS A SERVANT OR PROTECTOR.
AND THOSE AREN'T BRACELETS, THEY'RE RESTRAINING ANKLETS.


WHOA...
YOU PLAYED A LOT OF DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS DIDN'T YOU?

GOLEMS ARE REAL? NOT FROM SOME MADE UP GAME?
NO. THEY'RE HISTORICAL. A REAL MYTH.
YOU MEAN THIS LITTLE GUY CAN REALLY COME TO LIFE? DO MY LAUNDRY? GIVE A FOOT MASSAGE?

"MADE IN GERMANY," THAT'S ODD.
MADE IN GERMANY

"REAL MYTH?" ISN'T THAT LIKE SAYING "TRUE LIES?"

DID YOU COME BACK FROM BREAK JUST TO MESS WITH ME?
NO...

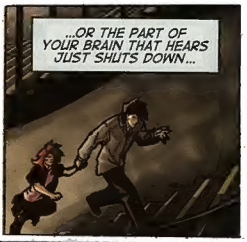
I HEARD THERE MIGHT BE TROUBLE
SO I WANTED TO MAKE SURE MY FAMILY WAS OKAY.

DON'T WORRY, KIZZY. EVERYTHING IS GOING TO BE--

RUMBLE!

YOU'D BE SURPRISED AT HOW QUIET AN EXPLOSION CAN BE.

MAYBE IT'S YOUR EARS BEING BLOWN OUT BY THE VERY SOUND YOU WERE EXPECTING...


...OR THE PART OF YOUR BRAIN THAT HEARS JUST SHUTS DOWN...

...TO MAKE ROOM FOR MORE IMPORTANT THINGS.

OR MAYBE IT'S SOME KIND OF INSTANT MEMORY WIPE DESIGNED TO SPARE YOU FROM AS MUCH SHOCK AS POSSIBLE...

...SO YOU CAN SURVIVE WHAT IS TO COME.
SARAJEVO, 1992

A WORLD OF WORDS AND IDEAS. GONE.
REPLACED BY A HANDFUL OF INITIALS AND ABBREVIATIONS THAT ARE HARD TO KEEP STRAIGHT: J.N.A., S.D.S., V.R.S., R.S., U.N., I.F.O.R., U.N.P.R.O.F.O.R....
...UNLESS YOUR LIFE DEPENDS ON IT.
KIZZY?
KIZZY!
NO!
YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO DO THIS!
THEY'RE BEING RELOCATING TO A SAFER AREA.
YOU AND YOUR BOYFRIEND CAN GO NOW.
NO.
SRDJAN — DON'T JUST STAND THERE, WE HAVE TO DO SOMETHING!
KIZZY, THIS IS BEYOND US...
BAM!

YOU HEARD HER...
DON'T JUST STAND THERE.
SPLASH!!
UHH!!
DAMN IT TO HELL!

...I USED TO SEE HER ALL THE TIME AT THAT CAFE BY THE UNIVERSITY...
...YAPPING AWAY ABOUT SOME CLASSIC MOVIE OR BOOK SHE ONLY JUST FINISHED, ACTING LIKE SHE WAS THE FIRST PERSON TO DISCOVER IT.
DROVE ME NUTS.
THEN ONE DAY SHE JUST SAT DOWN AT MY TABLE.
NEVER EVEN INTRODUCED HERSELF. STARTED TALKING LIKE WE WERE OLD FRIENDS. I WAS JUST SITTING THERE, MINDING MY OWN BUSINESS, STUDYING.
NEVER EVEN LOOKED UP AT HER. THAT DIDN'T STOP KIZZY, THOUGH.
CAN'T IMAGINE WHAT SHE'D SAY ABOUT YOU...

"SRDJAN ZIVOJIN IS WHACKED." THAT'S WHAT SHE'D SAY.
BORING.
LET'S GO FOR SOMETHING A LITTLE MORE...
...IMPOSING.
YOU'LL NEED A BETTER GAME FACE IF YOU'RE GOING TO BE THE RIGHT HAND OF JUSTICE.
SOMETHING THAT WILL STRIKE FEAR ON SIGHT ALONE.
TO LET THEM KNOW WE MEAN BUSINESS.
THAT'S MORE LIKE IT.
IN THE OLD JEWISH FOLKLORE, GOLEMS WERE CLUMSY, BRAINLESS LUNKS.
BUT YOU, MY FRIEND, WILL BE UPDATED FOR THE MODERN WORLD. YOU WILL HAVE BRAINS AND BRAWN.

YOU WON'T BE A STRANGER IN A NEW WORLD...
...BUT RATHER YOU WILL HAVE THE FULL MEASURE OF IT.
NOW, THE FINISHING TOUCHES...
LAST BUT NOT LEAST...
NOW THE MOMENT OF TRUTH...
צדקה
נקמה
ZEDAKAH!
N'QAMAH!
HMPH.
WHY ISN'T THIS WORKING?

RISE!!
AAARGH!!!
STUPID IDIOT...
I MUST BE TOTALLY OUT OF MY MIND TO THINK THIS CRACKPOT IDEA WOULD EVER WORK.
"SAVE THE WORLD FROM CRUELTY AND INJUSTICE..." HAH!
GET A--
RELAX MAGI.
I LIVE.
...GRIP?

YOU'RE NOT SUPPOSED TO TALK, YOU KNOW.
THAT DOESN'T SEEM FAIR. I SHOULD BE ABLE TO SAY WHATEVER I WANT.
NO. GOLEMS AREN'T SUPPOSED TO BE ABLE TO TALK. YOU'RE SUPPOSED TO BE QUIET AND DO WHAT I SAY.
I MUST HAVE DONE IT WRONG OR SOMETHING...
PERHAPS...
WATCH YOUR STEP. THERE'S A LOT OF GRAVES HERE.
I RESPECT THE DEAD.
FINE, JUST KEEP AN EYE OUT FOR--
BOOM!!
...UNDETONATED CLUSTER BOMBS.
LET ME FIX THIS.
WHAT HAPPENED TO ALL THESE PEOPLE?
FOR A LONG, LONG TIME, SARAJEVO WAS A PLACE WHERE ALL RELIGIONS LIVED TOGETHER IN PEACE.
BUT SOME PEOPLE JUST DON'T WANT THAT TO HAPPEN ANYMORE.
THEY'LL PAY FOR THIS.
I CERTAINLY HOPE SO.

THIS IS WHERE IT HAPPENED.
FIND WHO DID THIS.
YES. ONE MOMENT.
I KNOW WHERE THEY ARE. FOLLOW ME, MAGI.
THAT'S A USEFUL TRICK.
COME ON. LET'S GET THIS OVER WITH.
SMASH!
WHAT IN GOD'S NAME...
AAAAAAAHHHHH!

YES... LET'S FINISH THIS!
THAT'S THEM, ALRIGHT.
STOP -- THAT TICKLES.
YIKES!
BLAM!
I HEAR YOU BOYS LIKE TO PLAY ROUGH.
AHH!!!
WOOMPH!
SEE HOW YOU LIKE BEING ON THE OTHER END OF THE STICK.
THWAK!
LOOK OUT!
HEH. BULLSEYE...
THUNK!
GO LONG.
STEP RIGHT UP - A WINNER EVERY TIME!

NO!
YES! THIS IS YOUR PENANCE!
WAIT!

HUH?
YOU'RE NOT SERIOUS!
YOU HEARD ME... PUT IT DOWN.

LOOK WHAT THOSE SOLDIERS DID!
AND THEY KILLED YOUR FRIEND.

THEY CAN WAIT. WE NEED TO GET THESE PEOPLE TO A SAFE PLACE.
"A SAFE PLACE." THAT'S WHAT THEY SAID.
WE WANT TO GO HOME.
THERE IS NO MORE HOME.

GOLEM -- A LITTLE HELP?
YOU'RE GOING TO NEED MORE THAN A LITTLE.

SO... WHERE ARE YOU TAKING THEM, EXACTLY?
WHO THE HELL ARE YOU? EXACTLY?
MAJA.
"MAJA" WHAT?
JUST MAJA.
GOLEM– WHAT DO YOUR SENSES TELL YOU?
SHE'S CLEAN.
BUT I'D WATCH HER. SHE'S ALPHA FEMALE ALL THE WAY.
GOOD THING I SHOWERED THIS MORNING.
WHAT DO YOU WANT?
TO HELP. YOU NEED ALL YOU CAN GET IF YOU WANT THESE GIRLS TO LIVE. NOW WHERE ARE WE GOING AGAIN?
TO THE AIRPORT. IT'S A UNITED NATIONS SAFE ZONE.
YEAH, A SAFE ZONE SURROUNDED BY 155 MILLIMETER HOWITZERS.
I KNOW A WAY IN. WHAT DO YOU GOT?
YOU'D BE SURPRISED AT WHAT A GIRL WITH A TATTOO IN THE RIGHT SPOT CAN ACCOMPLISH IN THIS TOWN.

WE'LL MOVE ONE AT TIME, FROM BUILDING TO BUILDING, USING GOLEM AS A SHIELD.
SNIPER ALLEY? ARE YOU SERIOUS OR JUST BRAIN DEAD?
I'LL GO FIRST THEN.
REMEMBER– I DIE, YOU DIE.
SAYS WHO?
DON'T LOOK AT ME -- I DIDN'T MAKE UP THE RULES.
I FEEL LIKE A TURTLE SHELL.
PAK!
PAK!
PAK!
MARK MY WORDS, THOSE BASTARDS HAVE IT COMING TO THEM.
CALM DOWN.
YOU CAN SHOOT BUT YOU CAN'T HIDE!
GOLEM!
RAAWHH!
CRUSH!

OH GOD...
THAT SEEMED TO DO THE TRICK.
NOW'S OUR CHANCE. MOVE!
TROUBLE WITH YOUR GOLEM?
THIS ISN'T WHAT I CREATED HIM FOR.
WELL YOU KNOW WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT THE BEST INTENTIONS...
REMEMBER...
YOU DIE, I DIE.
GRUMBLE!!!
FWOOOSH!

YOU MAY HAVE KILLED CIVILIANS IN THAT BUILDING!
A MEASURED RESPONSE WOULD HAVE BEEN ENOUGH.
WOULD YOU RATHER I STAND BY AND DO NOTHING?
DON'T KID YOURSELF. DO YOU THINK THE ENEMY CARES?
THAT DOESN'T JUSTIFY IT.
WHY THE HELL NOT? DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHAT I AM, MAGI?
LOOK HERE. JUSTICE AND VENGEANCE. IN YOUR HAND-WRITING.
YOU DIDN'T THINK THESE TWO CAME WITHOUT A PRICE, DID YOU?
NOT AT THE EXPENSE OF THE INNOCENT!
JUST BECAUSE YOU HAVE A HAMMER, DOESN'T MEAN EVERY PROBLEM IS A NAIL.
NOT MY CONCERN, MAGI. WHO TOLD YOU TO BRING A N.M.D. TO A GUNFIGHT?
WOW. HARDCORE.
THEN MAYBE YOU SHOULD MAKE IT YOUR PROBLEM!
THE ONLY THING KEEPING YOU FROM BECOMING PLAY-DOH IS A PIECE OF PAPER IN YOUR MOUTH! GET IT?
IF YOU WANT TO PLAY THAT CARD NOW, SO BE IT.
OUTSIDE THE CITY.
WHAT'S THIS?
THE ONLY WAY INTO THE SAFE ZONE.
A TUNNEL. GOES STRAIGHT TO THE AIRPORT. THE CITY'S LIFELINE.

WE NEED TO GET THREE PEOPLE OUT.
TOO BUSY. FOOD AND MEDICINE TAKE PRIORITY.
I HAVE CASH.
WE DON'T TAKE BRIBES...
WEAPONS...
BUT WE DO ACCEPT DONATIONS.
GRRRR...
GIVE ME YOUR GOLEM. I'LL PAY FOR THE GIRLS.
AH, SO YOU "JUST WANT TO HELP." I GET IT NOW.
HE'S DANGEROUS. AND YOU CAN'T CONTROL HIM.
AND YOU CAN?
YES.
WAR PROFITEER!
NO, GOLEM! THIS IS THE ONLY WAY WE CAN HELP THE GIRLS.
I'M JUST AN EMPLOYEE!
YOU'RE BEGINNING TO BECOME A BROKEN RECORD.
I... DIE...
YEAH, YEAH... HEARD YOU THE FIRST TIME.

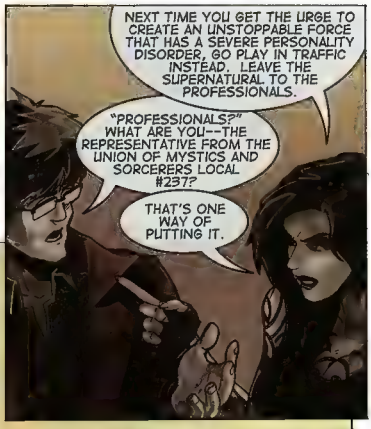
GO MAKE YOURSELF A SNOWMAN OR SOMETHING SO I CAN GET SOMETHING ACCOMPLISHED.
GOLEM, WAIT...
COME WITH ME, MY FRIEND. JOIN THOSE WHO CAN PUT YOU TO GOOD USE.
WHAT'S THE HOLD UP! WE GOT TWO TONS OF C-4 DOWN HERE THAT NEEDS TO MOVE!
CAPTAIN BARON...
GOD, I LOVE THE BALKANS -- A SURPRISE AROUND EVERY CORNER.
NICE TRY BUT YOUR MAGIC IS ALL BARK AND NO BITE.
HE'S EVEN MORE POWERFUL THAN WE THOUGHT...
NOT BAD-- FOR DIRT.
GOLEM- DON'T WASTE YOUR TIME ON THESE KIND. ALL THEY WANT IS CONTROL.
THEY HAVE NO IDEA WHAT TRUE POWER CAN DO.
OKAY. THAT WAS BRILLIANT.
NOW SOMEONE WANT TO TELL ME WHAT THE CIRCUS IS DOING IN MY TUNNEL? I HAVE A BUSINESS TO RUN HERE.

WE'RE SHUTTING YOU DOWN.
OH YEAH? SEE THIS U.N. UNIFORM.
THIS MEANS I MAKE THE RULES. THIS MEANS YOU MESS WITH ME, YOU MESS WITH THE ENTIRE PLANET.
AND IF I DON'T GET THOSE CIGARETTES AND BOOZE ON THE STREETS ASAP, YOU'LL SEE RIOTS AND ULTRA-VIOLENCE THAT'LL MAKE YOUR HEAD SPIN LIKE A TOP.
YOU'RE EVEN MORE TRECHEROUS THAN YOU LOOK.
BIG DEAL!
I THINK YOU AND I ARE GOING TO MEET AGAIN, AND WHEN WE DO I'M GOING TO SMASH THAT SMUG LOOK INTO THE BACK OF YOUR SKULL.
HEY PINHEAD, WE'RE NOT EVEN IN THE SAME CLASS.
DO YOUR BLOODY WORST.
I WOULDN'T ENCOURAGE HIM.
HE SAID A MOUTHFUL, BUDDY.
PLEASE. I'M PRACTICALLY RUNNING THIS WAR, AND I'VE GOT A PH.D IN MAYHEM AND CHAOS MANAGEMENT.
ONE OF YOU SUPER-ZEROES SUDDENLY SHOWING UP ISN'T GOING TO PUT MY PANTIES IN A TWIST, ESPECIALLY IF YOUR SUPER POWER IS NOTHING MORE THEN CRAPPY DENTAL WORK AND BEING THICKER THEN MISSISSIPPI MUD.
UN
SO YOU'RE A REAL HARDBOY, ARE YOU?
WHAT IF I PULL YOUR LIMBS OFF AND BEAT YOU LIKE A PINATA?
A SHIVER JUST WENT DOWN MY EXO-SKELETON.
ONE MORE STEP, GARGOYLE GUY, AND YOU'LL BE IN VIOLATION OF UNITED NATIONS SECURITY RESOLUTION 54789.
I DOUBLE DARE YOU.
ALWAYS EAGER TO PLEASE. TOSSER.
SWACK!

THEY'VE ALREADY PAID THEIR WAY.
UH, WHATEVER YOU SAY, PAL.
AS FOR YOU, MAGI, I'M SHOWING RESTRAINT FOR THE SAKE OF THE KITTENS. BUT DON'T COME LOOKING FOR ME.
WAIT A MINUTE. YOU CAN'T LEAVE UNLESS I SAY YOU CAN.
YOU'RE A PISS POOR EXCUSE FOR A MAGI, YOU KNOW THAT.
YOU WERE RIGHT THE FIRST TIME, I'M NOT SUPPOSED TO SPEAK. FORTUNATELY YOU MESSED UP THE SPELL ENOUGH TO GIVE ME A VOICE.
IF YOU'D PAID ATTENTION TO ALL THE RULES, YOU'D ALSO KNOW THAT WHEN YOU GIVE A GOLEM A VOICE YOU GIVE HIM A SOUL. AND WHEN YOU GIVE HIM A SOUL, YOU GIVE HIM CHOICE.
YOU WERE NEVER IN CONTROL, MAGI.
I WAS JUST HUMORING YOU, AND AT THE TIME OUR AGENDAS WERE IN SYNC. THAT IS NO LONGER THE CASE.
YOU DON'T HAVE THE STOMACH FOR THIS WORK.
BUT I CREATED YOU. GAVE YOU LIFE.
YES YOU DID. AND GOLEM ALWAYS HONORS A DEBT. WHATEVER I OWED YOU CONSIDER THE LIVES OF THESE GIRLS AS PAYMENT IN FULL. THE SLATE IS CLEAN.
WHAT IF THAT'S NOT NEARLY ENOUGH? WHAT IF IN THE END YOU DO JUST AS MUCH HARM AS GOOD? WHO'S GOING TO BE HELD ACCOUNTABLE FOR THAT?
EITHER ACCEPT IT OR STAY OUT OF MY WAY. YOU AND THIS WAR HAVE PUT ME IN A FOUL MOOD. PISS ME OFF A LITTLE MORE AND I MIGHT HAVE TO DO SOMETHING THAT WOULDN'T BE HEALTHY FOR EITHER OF US.
THIS PARTNERSHIP'S AT AN END, MAGI. DOVIDENJA.

HOLY CRAP....!?
RUN, FOR YOUR SWEET MOTHERLOVIN' LIVES!

MAYBE YOU NEED MORE TATTOOS.
YOU KNOW WHAT?


NEXT TIME YOU GET THE URGE TO CREATE AN UNSTOPPABLE FORCE THAT HAS A SEVERE PERSONALITY DISORDER, GO PLAY IN TRAFFIC INSTEAD. LEAVE THE SUPERNATURAL TO THE PROFESSIONALS.
"PROFESSIONALS?" WHAT ARE YOU--THE REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE UNION OF MYSTICS AND SORCERERS LOCAL #237?
THAT'S ONE WAY OF PUTTING IT.

KHAM!!
ALL RIGHT, SHRED 'EM!
IT'S NOT POLITE TO POINT.

SCRITCH!
BACK OFF, TIN HEADS! YOU'RE SCARING THE KITTENS.
FWAM!
WHOOOMP!!
ZERO IN ON MONGO OR WHATEVER IT CALLS ITSELF, AND SPAY SOME GRAY!

VRAAAAFTT!
BOOM!
CRETINS! IF YOU CAN'T KILL ME, DON'T WASTE MY TIME!
KRASH!
VRAAAAKK!
FLY. BE FREE.
THANK YOU, SCARY MAN!
FEEL BETTER NOW?

MUCH.
AND WHO ARE YOU SUPPOSED TO BE? A SUPER-MODEL?
CALL ME A RECRUITER.
IT'S NICE TO BE SO POPULAR.
JOIN MY TEAM, AND YOU CAN BE PART OF THE SOLUTION INSTEAD OF THE PROBLEM.
NOT INTERESTED IN BEING A HERD FOLLOWER.
YOU DIDN'T EVEN HEAR MY FULL PITCH.
PISS OFF. I'M NOT INTERESETED
IT'S NOT A BLACK AND WHITE WORLD, GOLEM.
MAYBE, BUT WHO SAYS IT HAS TO STAY THAT WAY?
A LOT OF PEOPLE WITH A LOT OF FRICKING ATTITUDE AND A SHORT AMOUNT OF PATIENCE. IF YOU DON'T PICK A SIDE SOONER OR LATER, THEY AREN'T GOING TO PLAY NICE WITH YOU ANYMORE.
BRING 'EM ON. SAVES ME THE TROUBLE OF HAVING TO FIND 'EM.
AND WHERE THE HELL ARE YOU GOING?
BELOW.
CAN'T STAND THE SMELL UP THERE ANYMORE.
FIN!?

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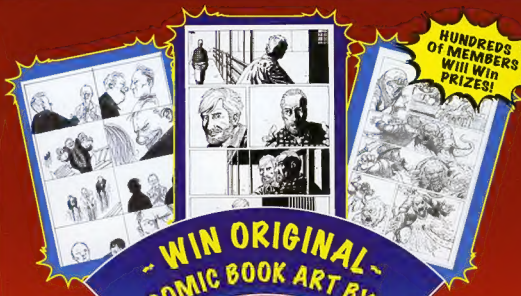


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